

PATENT COOPERATION TREATY

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SOLID SUPPORT

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated June 28, 2005, please find enclosed electronic and paper copies of the sequence listing, and a declaration. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.